



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: FIXING APPARATUS AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS

Appl. No.: 10/743,492

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**TRANSMITTAL OF MISSING PARTS**  
**OF PATENT APPLICATION**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the missing parts needed to complete the filing of the subject patent application.

Enclosed are:

- [ X ] English Translation of specification, claims and abstract (34 pages); drawings (4 sheets) and Translator's Declaration.
- [ X ] Transmittal of Formal Drawing with 4 sheets of drawings containing Figures 1-7.
- [ X ] Filing fee and surcharge were previously paid on December 23, 2003.

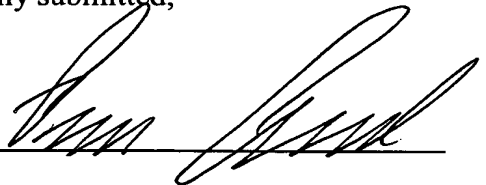
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**TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

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ATTENTION: DRAWING REVIEW BRANCH

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Transmitted herewith are the formal drawings (4 sheets, Figures 1-7) for the above-identified application. The Official Draftsperson is respectfully requested to approve these drawings for entry into the application.

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